

Frequently Asked Internships Questions

1. Will I be compensated for my work?

The rising cost of college is often a burden for many students who seek to expand their university experience through internships and study abroad programs. In an effort to help encourage more students who might not otherwise be able to afford this experience, Congressman Moran offers paid internships. Interns in Washington, D.C. receive the maximum salary allowed by the House of Representatives, which is a monthly pre-tax amount of \$1,800.00. Interns may be eligible to receive reimbursements for public transportation expenses.

2. Is housing provided by the office?

Interns are responsible for their own housing. Congressman Moran and his staff will provide a list of possible housing options and are willing to help students find a living situation that adequately meets their needs.

3. What are my duties?

Interns have a number of different responsibilities, including guiding tours of the United States Capitol, responding to constituent requests, researching legislation, attending briefings and hearings, and general office duties. Each intern has a different set of goals, and Congressman Moran and his staff work to ensure that interns can become involved in topics that are of interest to them so they get the most out of their experience.

4. When are the deadlines for submitting my application?

The deadline for spring 2010 internships is Friday, March 5, 2010. The deadline for fall internships is in early July, and spring internship applications are due in early October. Applicants are free to submit their materials at any time before the deadline.

5. Who should I contact if I have more questions?

Please visit www.jerrymoran.house.gov if you have questions. You can also contact Congressman Jerry Moran's intern coordinator, Mark Colwell, with any additional questions you may have. Mark can be reached at (202)-225-2715.